

# SEYMORE DAILY REPUBLICAN

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PRICE TWO CENTS

## BLOCK AT SALEM SWEPT BY FLAMES

Stout's Furniture Factory and the Electric Light Plant Included in \$300,000 Loss.

## FIREMEN HAMPERED BY COLD BOND OF \$200 IS REQUIRED

Explosions of Gasoline, Oil and Naphtha Make Fire Fighting Extremely Hazardous.

Fire early today leveled practically an entire block in Salem, destroyed the Stout Furniture factory, the town electric light plant and resulted in a loss estimated at \$300,000. The fire broke in one of the finishing rooms of the furniture factory, one of the largest in the state, about midnight and soon spread to the electric light plant. The machinery there was destroyed or damaged and the town was plunged in darkness. The firemen were hampered in their work by the cold.

Explosions of gasoline, oil and naphtha in the furniture factory made the task of fighting the flames extremely dangerous. A. L. Hendrickson, who was assisting in fighting the flames, was hit by a barrel that was thrown through the air by one explosion and was knocked into a creek that runs through the factory yard. The barrel was found two hundred yards from the factory.

Only two residents in the block occupied by the factory and lighting plant were saved. The scene of the fire is two blocks distant from the central square of the city and vacant lots prevented the flames reaching the heart of the business district.

The city fire department, equipped with one engine and several lines of hose was aided in its fight by hundreds of residents, who brought garden hose and buckets to aid in saving the surrounding buildings. The High School building, located just across the street from the factories, was saved when the wind changed its course soon after the fire broke out.

The origin of the fire is not known. A watchman at the Stout plant discovered the flames shooting from the second story of the finishing room which is connected with the other building by five runways. All the buildings with the exception of the paint and oil shed were of frame construction and were enveloped in flames within an hour after the fire broke out.

The building occupied as a power house by the lighting company was of frame construction and proved ready fuel for the roaring flames.

Practically every citizen of Salem assembled in streets surrounding the burning block of buildings. The frame structures fell in the path of the onrushing flames as though they had been paper houses. Burning embers were carried aloft and wafted into all sections of the city, causing widespread fear that the fire might break out in other sections. Walls of the one brick building destroyed swayed before they fell soon after midnight, giving the fire fighters warning.

## SIMEON JONES, WELL KNOWN YOUNG MAN, PASSES AWAY

Popular Employee of B. & O. S-W. Dies After Illness with Fibrous Tumor.

Simeon Jones, a well known young man and a popular employee of the B. & O. Southwestern, died this afternoon at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Jones, North Ewing street, following an illness with fibrous tumor. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are residents of Cincinnati but came here several weeks ago on account of his condition. He was employed in the train service of the B. & O. for a number of years.

Mr. Jones was a native of this city and was a son of the late L. W. Jones. He is survived by his widow, his mother and one brother, Harry Jones. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

White Ivory. Help your friends fill out their sets. We have it. Maxon Pharmacy. d16&19d

## ELECTION REPORTS FILED BY TRUSTEES

Township Officials Required to File Names of Supervisors Chosen in Road Districts.

Supervisors Must See That Roads are Properly Dragged when Weather will Permit.

A number of the township trustees have filed reports in the office of County Auditor Albert Luedtke on the results of the election for road supervisors which was held Saturday afternoon. The law requires that the reports shall be filed within three days after the election. The returns are certified to by the members of the boards. This is the first time that the supervisors have been elected under the new law which was enacted by the legislature in 1915.

The newly chosen supervisors are required to take an oath before entering upon their new work for faithful performance of duty. Before they can assume their duties they are required to give bond in the sum of \$200. The bond is deposited with the township trustee. The law provides that if any one elected supervisor shall be unable to give bond he shall forfeit his right to hold office and his successor shall be named by the trustee.

Road supervisors are paid at the rate of 25 cents per hour for services actually performed but none shall receive pay for more than fifty days each year, except in the event of the election of but one supervisor in a township when he shall be entitled to pay for 120 days. Before receiving his compensation the supervisor is required to file a sworn statement with the trustee specifying the day upon which he worked. Any supervisor is liable on his bond for failure to carry out the duties imposed upon him by law.

Road supervisors are in charge of the work on dirt roads within their respective districts. Some of the townships elected four supervisors and others elected but two. They are required to see that the roads are properly dragged whenever weather conditions will permit. They are also required to call out all persons in their districts liable to work on the highways and superintend the labor. They are further required to report to the trustees all fines and commutation moneys due their districts which must be collected by the trustee.

The township trustee has authority to divide his township into road districts, but is required to file a plat of such divisions in the highway record of his township, which shall show the roads and parts of roads belonging to each district.

The supervisors who have been elected according to the reports on file in the office of the county auditor are:

Vernon township: W. S. Ross, F. M. Williams, George H. Burger, Edward Rider.

Brownstown township: J. W. Eastin, George Darlage, Fred H. Gossman. Redding township: George Hohenreiter, Horace Buntton.

Driftwood township: Irwin Barnett, Albert Alexander.

Sanitary and Low Prices.

Leave orders for dressed turkeys, geese and ducks. Oysters in tin cans, full measure standards 20c per pint; selects 25c per pint. Leave orders early. All fresh meats at lower prices. L. G. Heins. d23d&w

Carving sets, plated knives and forks, pocket knives, shears and scissors are always acceptable for a Christmas present. Corde Hdw. Co. d23d&w

Our beautiful portable electric stand lamps speak direct to the gift giving nature of Christmas shoppers. Open evenings until Christmas. Interstate Public Service Co. d15dtf

Beautiful Glass Humidors filled with his choicest kind of tobacco, Velvet, Prince Albert and Tuxedo. Maxon Pharmacy. d16&19d

See the new burnt leather kodak albums at Platter's. d14dtf

Canary Birds, Gold Fish and Parrots at T. R. Carter's. d23d

## SUBMARINE CHASER ON LONG ISLAND SOUND

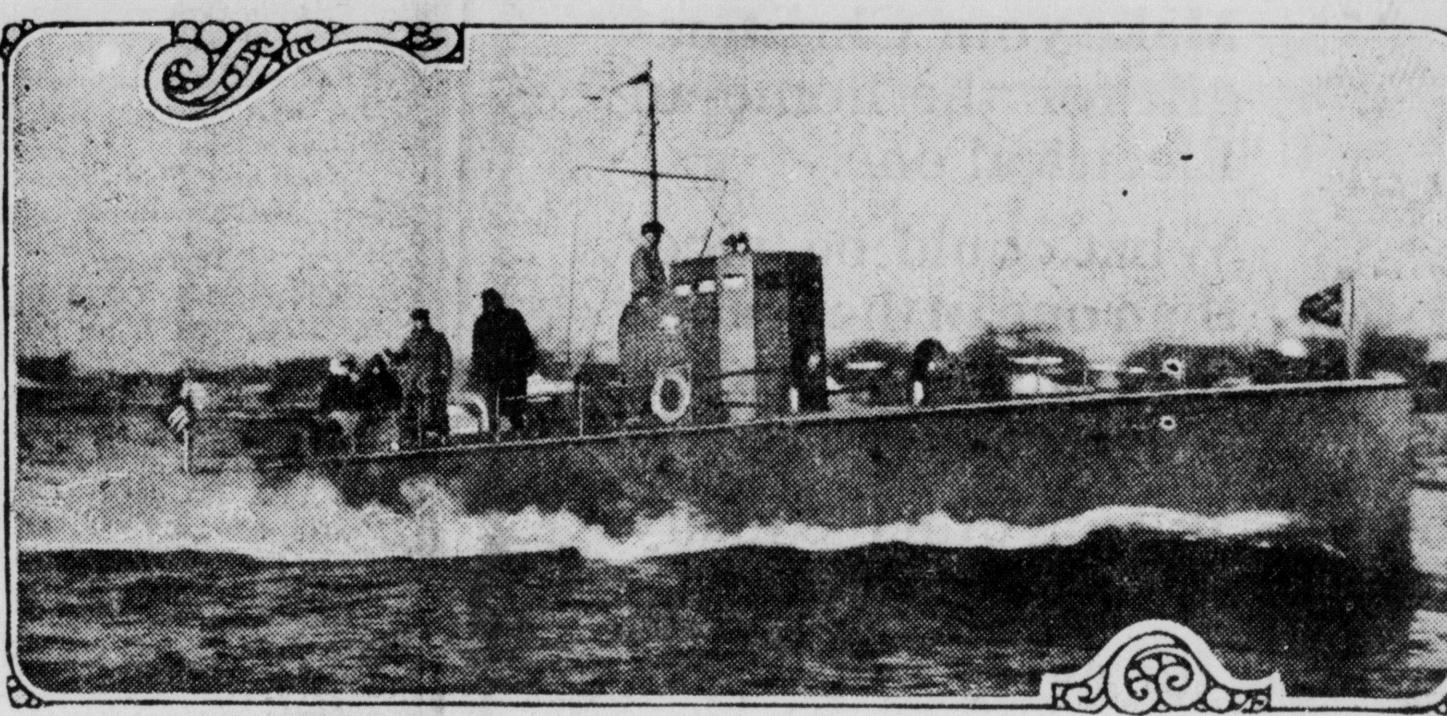


Photo by American Press Association.

It is said that at least 100 of these motorboats have been built at Sag Harbor, N. Y., and will be sent in sections to some foreign government. They attain a speed of thirty knots an hour.

## ELKS WILL BOOST CITY COMMITTEES CHRISTMAS FUND TO MEET JANUARY 2

Local Lodge of B. P. O. E. to Contribute More than \$50 to City Charity Association.

PLANS DISCUSSED LAST NIGHT

Workers will Meet Again Thursday Night to Make Final Arrangement for Distribution.

### Christmas Fund.

Previously reported .....	\$59.00
Ernest Booch .....	.50
Cash .....	1.00
Missionary Society Christian church .....	6.75

The local lodge of B. P. O. E. has a Christmas Good Cheer Fund among its own members and before the end of the week the total amount will be turned over to the City Charity Association to be added to the general Christmas Fund which has been raised through the Daily Republican. It was stated that it is not known just how much will be turned over by the Elks but that the fund was already more than \$50. The generosity of this lodge will be of great benefit in carrying out the plans of the City Charity Association for it means that with the amount already contributed more than \$100 in cash will be available. The charity workers are deeply grateful to the Elks for their assistance in this campaign. The big contribution comes at a time when the funds are badly needed to provide food, clothing and fuel for

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### LOCAL MERCHANTS ENJOY SPLENDID HOLIDAY TRADE

Business Has Been Steady This Week and Dealers Are Looking for a Big Rush.

The Seymour merchants are enjoying a splendid holiday trade and expect to have a big rush from now until Saturday night. The trade this week has been steady and some of the dealers state that their clerks have been rushed at times during the day. All the merchants are looking for a better holiday trade this year than in 1915.

The Christmas rush has been felt by the postoffice and express offices where hundreds of packages decorated with Christmas seals and posters "Don't Open Until Christmas" have been received for delivery. The outgoing mail and express has been heavier than the inbound receipts but the situation will be changed during the latter part of the week.

The Adams and American Express Co. will be open every evening from 7 to 9 p. m. until Christmas. T. P. Cordes, Agt. Adams. C. M. Hennessey, Agt. American. d23d

Wells Fargo Express office will be open every evening this week until 8:30 o'clock. E. L. Amick, Agent. d23d

Kodak albums, all styles and prices, at Platter's. d14dtf

Parker and Mooney Fountain Pens at T. R. Carter's. d16dtf

## CITY COMMITTEES TO MEET JANUARY 2

Organizations Will be Effectuated at That Time Under Provisions of Primary Law.

### CHAIRMEN WILL BE ELECTED

Precinct Chairman of Jackson Township Become Members of the City Committees.

In accordance with the provisions of the primary law under which the nominations for all elective city offices are made, both the Republican and Democratic city committees will meet on Tuesday, January 2 for organization purposes. Each committee will elect a chairman, secretary and treasurer.

Under the interpretation of the law as made by the commission appointed by Governor Ralston, the city chairman will issue the call for the meeting. In the absence of a city chairman or in case he refuses or neglects to issue such call, it then becomes the duty of the county chairman to do so. In the case of the local Republican organization there is no chairman. The last chairman elected was the late E. Blish Thompson. The late Albert L. Johnson was secretary. It therefore becomes the duty of the county chairman, George Peter, to issue the call. Silas Schmitt is chairman of the Democratic city committee and City Clerk C. W. Burkart is secretary. According to the interpretation of the law

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### TERRY DIES OF INJURIES SUSTAINED IN ACCIDENT

Body Removed From City Hospital to Home in Crothersville Where Funeral Will be Held.

Merton Terry, aged twenty-five years, died at 6:15 o'clock Monday night at the Schneck Memorial Hospital as the result of injuries sustained in an accident Friday night. The young man's life hung in a balance for several days and little encouragement was given for his recovery after he was brought to the local hospital. The body was removed to his late home in Crothersville.

Terry had been attending a public sale and was returning home when the accident occurred. He was driving a team of horses hitched to a light buggy and when the team approached the interurban crossing a block south of the Crothersville traction station they took fright at an approaching car and became unmanageable. The buggy was pushed in the track in front of the car. The team escaped unhurt but the buggy was demolished. Terry was thrown about thirty feet falling on a cattle guard on the track. He sustained a fracture of the skull and internal injuries. He was brought to the local hospital soon after the accident. Terry was well known in Vernon township where he was engaged as a trader, dealing extensively in horses and mules.

GAMES FOR SALE. ROOK, FLYNN, AND A nice assortment of playing cards. Maxon Pharmacy. d16&19d

CHRISTMAS GREETING CARDS, prettier than ever at T. R. Carter's. d23d

## TWO KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Lives of Three Hundred Men Endangered in Terrific Blast in Shaft Near Vincennes.

### SIXTEEN MEN ARE INJURED

U. S. Mine Rescue Car Rushed to the Scene from Urbana, Ill.—Blast Caused by Gas Igniting.

By United Press. Vincennes, Ind., December 19.—Two men were killed in an explosion which occurred in the Oliphant-Johnston coal mine, along the Vandalia tracks, two miles north of here late this afternoon. The lives of three hundred miners in the tunnel were endangered by the blast. All of those reported missing have been accounted for, although sixteen of the rescued are seriously burned. Many of the men live in Vincennes and others at Briggsville, a small town near the mine.

A call was sent to the Vincennes fire department for help and was the first word brought here of the accident. The blast was caused by gas igniting in the mine.

The United States government mine rescue car was rushed to the mine from Urbana, Ill.

Indianapolis, December 19.—Michael Sollards, state mine inspector, left for Vincennes late this afternoon to investigate the explosion which resulted in the death of two men and endangered the lives of three hundred others.

### GERMAN CAPTURE 1,000 PRISONERS IN ROUMANIA

Berlin Statement Says Large Quantity of Food Supplies Are Also Taken.

By United Press. Berlin, December 19.—More than 1,000 Russian and Roumanian prisoners were captured in engagements in Roumania during the last two days, today's official statement asserted. Many vehicles, most of them laden with food supplies were also captured. Continued northward retreat of Russian forces in Dobrudja was reported.

### GERMANY SAYS COLUMBIA VIOLATED NEUTRALITY LAWS

Declares American Ship Sent Out Warned of Submarine Zone After She Was Stopped.

By United Press. Berlin, December 19.—The American steamer Columbian was torpedoed because being once released after stoppage by a German submarine, she sent out wireless warnings of the submarine zone of operations in violation of neutrality. This was the German reply today upon American inquiries of the sinking of the vessel.

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CHRISTMAS BELLS AND HOLLY BOXES at T. R. Carter's. d23d

## ALLIES INSIST ON DEFINITE TERMS

Lloyd George Says Entente Powers Cannot Discuss Peace on Present Proposal.

### FULL REPARATION DEMANDED

Commons Hears Address in which Premier Says Guarantee of Future Must Be Given.

By United Press.

London, December 19.—The allies will not treat with Germany for peace until Germany formally states the terms upon which her offer is based.

A formal note to this effect will be sent to Germany shortly.

Premier David Lloyd George announced such a rejection of Germany's peace offer in the house of commons this afternoon.

The allies' terms are complete restoration and full reparation with effectual guarantee for the future, the premier declared. He stated England endorsed rejection of Germany's peace terms by Russia and France and emphasized the unity of the allies by declaring that each has arrived at its decision independently.

He characterized the Teutonic offer as the "noose end" of a rope in which the allies were asked to place their necks. "Without reparation peace is impossible," he declared. "All the outrages of land and sea cannot be liquidated by a few pious phrases about humanity. The allies insist the end of the war must be a complete guarantee against Prussian militarism disturbing the peace of Europe.

"We will wait until terms and guarantee are better than those which Germany has likely broken."

The prime minister, following Germany's offer of peace described reconstruction of the government. He announced recognition of former premier Venizelos' government in Greece against that of King Constantine.

The premier declared the new ministry had decided to take over complete control of all shipping as they now have control of all railways.

### GENERAL BREAK IN PRICES

Bull Movement on Stock Exchange Ends Abruptly.

By United Press. New York, December 19.—A bull movement which started on the stock exchange by Lloyd George's refusal to consider peace at this time came to an abrupt end and was followed by a general break in prices this afternoon. Traders saw in the premier's speech indication that the door is still open for negotiations.

### DROP IN WHEAT PRICES

December Closes Six Cents Lower Than at Noon.

Chicago, December 19.—A sudden turn in wheat came shortly before 1 o'clock today which sent prices downward. Sellers took the view that Lloyd George's speech opened the way for peace in Europe.

December wheat closed six cents below the noon figure.

Refusal to Make Peace. By United Press.

Petrograd, December 19.—The council of the empire today declared in favor of a categorical refusal of the allies to enter into peace negotiations with Germany.

Our salesroom will be open evenings until Christmas. Come in and select your electrical Christmas gifts.

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Royal Rochester Copper Nickle plated ware will make a nice gift for Christmas. Corde Hdw. Co. d23d&w

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# Electrical Gifts FOR THE HOME



Make your Christmas gift for the home an Electrical one.

What could be nicer than one of the beautiful reading lamps we are showing.

Our sales room is full of other equally appropriate and useful electrical gifts.

There is something for every member of the family.

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**TOASTERS, TRAVELING IRONS,  
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# HOADLEY'S

Oranges, Bananas, Grapes,  
Figs, Cranberries, Celery,  
Oysters, Cabbage,  
Apples, Grape Fruit, and a Choice  
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**Electric Prize Shooting Gallery**  
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#### SEYMORE MARKETS

Wagon wheat.....	\$1.50
Flour.....	\$1.10-\$1.15
Corn.....	.80c
Oats.....	.50c
Rye.....	\$1.10
Clover seed.....	\$8.00@9.00
Straw, wheat, ton.....	.55c
Straw, oats, ton.....	.66c
Timothy hay.....	\$14.00
Clover hay.....	\$10.00
<b>POULTRY.</b>	
Hens, fat.....	.14c
Springs, fat.....	.14c
Cocks, fat.....	.7c
Geese, per pound.....	.9c
Ducks, per pound.....	.11c
Turkeys, old hens, per pound.....	.19c
Old Toms, per pound.....	.17c
Turkeys, young.....	.20c
Eggs.....	.37c
Butter.....	.26c
<b>INDIANAPOLIS CASH PRICES.</b>	
By United Press.	
December 19, 1916.	
<b>WHEAT—Steady.</b>	
No. 2 red.....	\$1.70@1.72
Milling wheat.....	\$1.68
<b>CORN—Firm.</b>	
No. 3 white.....	.93 1/2@.96
No. 3 yellow.....	.94 1/2@.96 1/2
No. 3 mixed.....	.93 1/2@.96
<b>OATS—Steady.</b>	
No. 3 white.....	.54@.55
No. 3 mixed.....	.53@.54
<b>HAY—Steady.</b>	
No. 1 timothy.....	\$14.00@14.50
No. 2 timothy.....	\$13.00@13.50
No. 1 clover.....	\$13.00@13.50
No. 1 light clover, mixed.....	\$13@13.50
<b>INDIANAPOLIS LIVE STOCK.</b>	
<b>HOGS.</b>	
Receipts .....	19,000
Tone.....	Steady to Strong
Best heavies .....	\$10.35@10.60
Medium and mixed.....	\$10.30@10.45
Com, to choice lights.....	\$9.50@10.35
Bulk of sales.....	\$10.30@10.45
<b>CATTLE</b>	
Receipts .....	1100
Tone .....	Steady
Steers .....	\$6.25@12.10
Cows .....	\$5.00@8.50
<b>SHEEP.</b>	
Receipts .....	350
Tone .....	Steady
Top .....	\$13.25

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# Social Events

#### Coming Events

##### Wednesday.

Priscilla Club with Mrs. J. E. Gault, 207 North Walnut street. Kaffee Klatch Luncheon with Miss Myrtle Bennett, 317 North Walnut street.

Wednesday Club with Mrs. Jerry McOsker, Brownstown.

##### Thursday.

Indiana Study Club with Mrs. Ida Miller, 531 North Chestnut street.

St. Paul Ladies' Aid Society in Sunday School rooms.

M. G. Club with Misses Pearl and Ruth Kaufman, 417 East Fourth street.

##### Friday.

Friday Magazine Club with Mrs. C. D. Hopewell, 404 North Ewing street.

Junior Kaffee Klatch with Mrs. Harold Stewart and Miss Luella Toms at home of Mrs. Stewart, Calvin Boulevard.

Cloverleaf Club with Mrs. Ralph Boas, 108 1/2 West Second street.

M. Y. O. B. Club with Misses Lulu and Lisette Alberring, S. Chestnut street.

Methodist Ladies' Aid Society at the church.

Baptist Sewing Society at the church.

#### WORLD WIDE GUILD

Mrs. Grover Marquette will be hostess at her home on Jackson and Lynn streets to the members of the World Wide Guild of the First Baptist church this evening. The topic for the meeting is "Christmas in Heathen Lands," and the program will consist of a series of stories told by the members relating the various ways in which Christmas is celebrated in the following heathen lands:

Madras, India. Miss Minnie Shepard Lucknow.....Miss Fern Ritter Singapore.....Miss Jeanette Black Pekin, China.....Miss Madge Linke Japan.....Miss Hazel Carson and Miss Dorothy Monroe.

Meguro.....Mrs. Grover Marquette Africa.....Miss Stella Gosset Smyrna.....Miss Esther Doane Fiji.....Miss Margaret Remy

Instrumental and vocal music will be included in the program, and afterwards the members will enjoy a social hour.

#### HOLIDAY GUESTS.

Miss Lucille Cordes, of Indianapolis will arrive here Thursday afternoon to be the holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cordes, Jr., at their home on North Poplar street. Miss Cordes will be honor guest at a series of holiday functions, the first of which will be a "500" party on Thursday evening, given by Miss Marjorie Hagan at the home of Mrs. Cordes, to present Miss Cordes.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cordes, of Indianapolis will arrive to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cordes, Sr., at their home on Indianapolis Avenue, and on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. John Wilhelm and daughters, Catherine and Dorothy, of Indianapolis, will come to be the guests at the Cordes home on Indianapolis avenue. The entire party will be entertained on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cordes, Jr.

#### ST. PAUL LADIES' AID

The officers of the Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Paul church will entertain the members of the society Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the monthly social meeting to be held in the Sunday School rooms of the

church. The hostesses are Mrs. Edith Cordes, president; Mrs. Anna Hoevener, vice president; Mrs. Laura White, secretary; Mrs. Margaret Findley, treasurer.

#### TWELVE O'CLOCK DINNER.

Herbert Harms, assisted by his mother, Mrs. Emma Harms, entertained with an elaborate 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their home at Eighth and California streets, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Amick, of Seymour.

A miniature Christmas tree graced the center of the table and all the appointments were in keeping with the Christmas-tide.

The dinner was served in courses and covers were laid for the host and honor guests and Misses Nellie and Leone McClintic, Miss Alta Trembly, Miss Grace Harms, Miss Lessie Campbell, of Queensville; Forrest Trembly, Herman Golden, Clarence O'Neal and Ernest Harms.—Columbus Republican.

#### "500" PARTY.

Miss Amy Roegge entertained last evening at her home on South Chestnut street, with a delightfully informal five hundred party. Following the pastime, at which the guests made up three tables, a dainty luncheon was served.

The guests included the Misses Eleuthera Davison, Flo Beldon, Alice Oesting, Clara Oesting, Gertrude James and Myra Laupus; Messrs. Noble Gresham, John Keegler, J. E. Belding, A. E. Murphy, Michael J. Dugan, Joseph P. Duffy and Dr. C. E. Gillespie.

#### HOLIDAY PARTY

The members of the Loyal Devoir Society of the First Christian church will hold their annual Christmas party this evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Hardin, on North Pine street.

#### PRISCILLA CLUB PARTY

Mrs. J. E. Gault will entertain the members of the Priscilla Club with the annual Christmas party tomorrow afternoon at her home on North Walnut street.

#### Edison Alone.

Re-creates the human voice, on the New Edison Diamond Disc Phonograph. Hear it at the Packard Piano Store, opposite Interurban station.

d24d

Keep uppermost in your mind that this is to be the biggest electric gift giving year ever experienced. We have many beautiful and practical gifts. Open evenings until Christmas. Interstate Public Service Co.

d15dtf

Mrs. Fannie Reynolds, who has been spending several weeks in Indianapolis, returned to her home in this city this morning.

Lawrence Horning, who has been spending several days with relatives in this city returned to Indianapolis this morning.

The first sneeze is the danger signal. Time to take—

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# CHRISTMAS Mince Pie



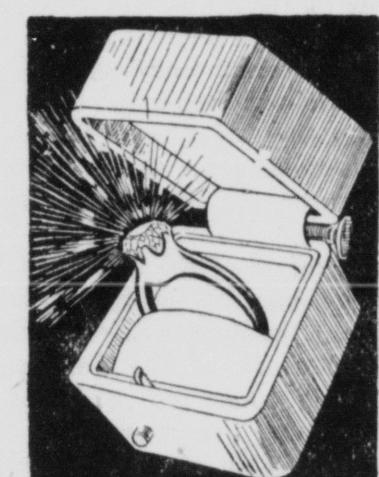
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Diamond Rings, Diamond LaValliers, Wristlet Watches, Gentlemen's Watches, Rings, Brooches, Chime Clocks, Libby's Celebrated Cut Glass, Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens, French Ivory Toilet Sets, Solid Silver Knives, Forks, Spoons.—Gruen Verithin Watches.

We urge you to personally call and see our stock and prices.

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**"THE MAN FROM HOME" TO BE REPEATED NEXT WEEK**

**Alumni Play which Scored Big Success Last Week, to be Seen Again at Majestic on Dec. 26.**

The high school alumni production of "The Man From Home" which scored a decided success last week, will be presented again on Tuesday evening, December 26, at the Majestic. Many requests have been made to the cast for a second performance, inasmuch as many were unable to attend last week, and another big house seems assured.

Unlike many shows, "The Man from Home," on account of its unusually good plot, its humorous lines and situations and the refreshingly stimulating Americanism of the story, never loses its appeal and return engagements have been the invariable rule wherever the play has been seen. When the show first opened in Chicago it ran for over a year, and the New York engagement was for nearly two years.

The performance next week will also give the members of the Alumni society who are in college and who will be home for the holidays, the opportunity of seeing the play. Tickets are now being sold for the Tuesday night performance, and the reserved seat sale will start Christmas morning at 10 o'clock at Carter's drug store.

**ELKS WILL BOOST CHRISTMAS FUND**

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many homes that are within the clutch of poverty and also to buy inexpensive gifts which will make glad the hearts of children who would not know the joy of Christmas Day if it was not for the efforts of the city association.

The Charity Association held a meeting Monday night, but final plans for the distribution of baskets could not be made on account of the

**Notice of Change.**

We have changed our office days to Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday. Loans made on Household Goods, Pianos, Live Stock, etc. Open Tuesday and Saturday nights.

SEYMORE LOAN CO., Over Carter's Book Store, 17½ East Second. Phone 528. d30d&w

**CARRANZA REFUSES TO SIGN THE PROTOCOL**

American Commissioners Again Take up Negotiations With Mexicans.

By United Press.

Philadelphia, December 19.—Negotiations of the American-Mexican commission continued today following the announcement that Carranza has refused to sign the protocol. The American commissioners today took up the objections pointed out by the Mexicans.

**HAVE YOU A WATER BOILER**

in your kitchen and if so is it plenty large enough? If you have no boiler or too small a one let us put a large one in. It's a convenience no kitchen should be without. Why not a gas water heating attachment, too? It saves making a fire in the range and puts hot water at your command any time.

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**THE WOMAN WORKS**

Who would pump the water from the well if the faucet went dry?

Water Service is a convenience for every member of the family, it is a life-saver for the woman who keeps house.

It is a servant that never leaves, always willing, always dependable, never lazy and it never takes a day off.

Imagine all the women having to carry up and down steps all the water to wash dishes, to wash clothes, to bathe in, to cook with and to drink.

Then you can appreciate what Water Service means to the woman in the home.

Water Service is the greatest Ally of the Housewife, it relieves her of a drudgery that is back breaking.

**Water Service Costs Little and Saves Much.**

SEYMORE WATER COMPANY

reports that the city schools and the Presbyterian church would also distribute baskets in conjunction with the association. It was decided to prepare a list of families to be assisted so there would be no duplication. All the organizations are co-operating and desire to reach the largest number of needy families.

After the lists are prepared by the schools and the Presbyterian church the Charity Association will check off the names that also appear on their lists. The association members will meet again Thursday night to complete arrangements.

Mrs. Clarence Hopewell, chairman of the City Charity Organization, said today that contributions of canned fruit and jellies would be welcome and that if anyone desired to give such articles they could leave them at the basement of the city library any time before Thursday afternoon. Toys which are also in good condition will be very acceptable. A number of persons have reported that they had in the homes dolls, hobby-horses and the like, which they would gladly give. It is explained that the toys must be in good condition as the organization has no fund to pay for the repair work. The toys may also be left at the library any time before Thursday. There are many children who will look for some sort of a plaything on Christmas morning and if these are contributed it will not be necessary to draw on the fund to purchase them, even if sufficient money is contributed. The association desires to use as much of the cash as possible for the purchase of provisions, clothing and fuel.

"I've been benefited so much by Tanlac that I think other sufferers should know about this medicine and so I'm making this statement."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, catarrhal complaints, rheumatism, nervousness, loss of appetite and the like and is a fine strength producer giving health and strength to weak, run down men and women.

Tanlac is now being specially introduced and explained in Seymour at the H. H. Carter Drug Store.

**THINKS OTHERS SHOULD KNOW ALL**

**Mrs. Dessa L. Salesman Gives Statement Telling of the Relief Tanlac Gave Her.**

Mishawaka, Ind., Dec. 18, 1916.—Mrs. Dessa L. Salesman, of 409 East Grove street, this city, wife of an agent for the Public Savings Insurance Company, gave the following interesting statement on November 11:

"For years I have suffered from rheumatism and stomach trouble. My liver also was out of order. Intensely severe pains in my back often bothered me.

"I read about Tanlac in the newspapers and seeing it was accomplishing such great results in the cases of others I decided to try it. My stomach is in much better condition now and my appetite has improved wonderfully. The pains are rapidly disappearing from my back now. My liver also is in good order now and I sleep soundly and peacefully at night now.

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**Shareholders' Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Seymour, Indiana, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business that may come before them, will be held at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 9, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

j8d L. L. Bollinger, Cashier.

**Arm Fractured in Fall.**

Miss Lura Lynch, a teacher in the high school at Cortland, fell on the icy steps at her home in Cortland this morning and fractured her arm at the elbow. Miss Lynch had just started out the back door of her home when she slipped on the top step, and missing the second step, fell and struck her elbow on the ground. Two physicians were called to reduce the fracture, and Miss Lynch is now resting quite comfortably.

**Prize Fighter Killed.**

By United Press.

Denver, December 19.—Grover Domero, a prize fighter, died early today following a knockout blow administered by Jack Bratton.

Pictures and Picture Framing at T. R. Carter's. d23d

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## SEYMORE DAILY REPUBLICAN

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1916

BUYING A GIFT  
FOR HIS WIFEThis Man Had Plenty of Help  
While on a Shopping  
Tour.

THE male shopper walked up and down the aisle of the big store looking about him with an expression of despair. He knew what he wanted to buy all right. It wasn't that. But he kept wandering about looking at the saleswomen behind the counters with all the perplexity of a dog trying to recall where he had buried a soup bone.

He stood off to one side staring intently at a busy young creature with dark bay hair behind the ribbon counter, and at last walked up within talking distance.

"Don't suppose you can leave here for a few minutes, can you?" he began in a low tone.

"W-h-a-t?"

"I say—never mind. I mean wait a minute I'll be back."

And he rushed away to hide his confusion from the other shoppers. He did not return, but went over to another aisle and began sizing up people there, both in front and behind the counters.

Was the man bughouse? No. Just be patient and you'll hear all about it. He kept looking and looking, and at last his gaze took in a tall young woman—reasonably young—with a bunch of small packages tucked under her arm. He walked up to her, hesitated, and then blurted: "Beg pardon, madam, but may I speak to you a moment?"

She gave him a look and started to hurry away, but he was obliged, having

waist measurement. I'm positive, though, that whatever your size is would do for her. You may be an inch taller than my wife, but that's about the only difference."

"It's a little unconventional, isn't it?" the woman smiled not unpleasantly. "Still I don't see why I shouldn't tell you that my size is—that my shirtwaists are usually size thirty-six."

They had been walking down the aisle and were now right by the shirtwaist counter.

"I had a blue one picked out there," remarked the man, "that seemed to be about what I wanted to get, but I didn't know what size it was. See! That's lying over there on top of that pink outfit."

"Does your wife like that shade of blue?" the woman asked significantly, after biting her lips for a moment.

"Why—er—well, of course she hasn't seen it," replied the male shopper. "Do you suppose she'd like some other color better?"

"You see," pointed out the kind woman in considerate, half-sympathetic tones, "that particular shade of blue doesn't go with any other color. Now, if I were receiving a shirtwaist for Christmas I should want a white waist. Of course your wife may have expressed a preference for some other color. No? Well, now you understand it's none of my affair—and this is certainly rather informal, me helping you to select something for your wife, whom I don't even know, to say nothing of not even knowing your name—but I should think any woman would be delighted with something like this one, for instance." And she reached over to pick up one with a lot of lace and mosquito netting on the front of it.

The male person inquired the price. It was \$4 more than the blue one he had selected, but he said he would take it, and no questions asked.

"Send it out to number so-and-so Such-and-such street, and—oh, that won't do. It might be delivered when she was at home and that would queer the whole thing. Better send it to my office. Thomas J. Wingett is the name, in the Pretentious building. I'd carry it, but I've got a lot of stops to make."

"Wingett," repeated the woman after hearing his name; "there's a Mrs. Wingett in our card club. You don't happen to be Mrs. Alice Wingett's husband, do you?"

"I sure am," grinned the man. "She's the girl that's going to get that shirtwaist off the pine tree next Monday."

"Well, of all things," gasped the kindly disposed woman. "I don't know Alice Wingett so very well, but I've met her at the club, and it does seem funny that I should be helping her husband to pick out a Christmas present for her. My name is Cummins. I don't suppose you know my husband. He travels most of the time."

"Seems to me I've heard Alice speak of a Mrs. Cummins," says Wingett. "Er—by the way, mebby you'd better not say anything to Alice when you see her about—about how informally we were introduced. She might think it funny. Like as not she'd think I'd been walking up and down the aisle staring at folks."

"I have a notion to tell her what you just said," gurgled Mrs. Cummins. "I guess I won't though. Seems to me the joke would be partly on me. Well, I hope Alice likes the shirtwaist."

"If she doesn't she hasn't good taste," grinned Wingett. "I certainly am obliged to you. If you can't make up your mind what to get your husband, let me know, and mebby I can help you out."

And he bowed gracefully as his new acquaintance gathered up her packages and tripped on her way.

A pound of 35 cent coffee given away free with every \$5 Hot Point Electric Percolator sold next week.

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Boxing Gloves at T. R. Carter's.

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"Well, I'm puzzled," said Jim. "P'raps, if we look

(They say that he hates a spy).

He won't leave the ball and the picture-book.

But jolly well pass us by."

And while they wondered if they should peep,

Somewhere, the bears fell off to sleep!

But the curious noise went on all night—Scampering, rush and run—

Till the darkness flew and the day dawned bright.

And the rats had had their fun.

And the rascals chuckled, "Well, what a fuss!"

If they'd only known that it was us!"

—Little Folks.

"Don't You Suppose You Can Leave  
Here for a Few Minutes?"

ing gone that far, to make good and convince her of the innocence of his motives.

"Don't be alarmed," he said, catching up with her. "I'm not trying to flirt or get fresh. Honestly, now, I'm not in the habit of speaking to women I don't know. Look me over and you'll see that I'm well-meaning enough. But the fact is you-ah, you-ah, you're just the same size as my wife—apparently! And—"

The woman gasped. "I don't see—" she began.

"Oh, but I want to ask a favor of you," went on the male shopper, more at ease now. "I've looked all over the saleswomen and the only one that would do was busy behind the ribbon counter, but you're just precisely what I need—oh, I beg your pardon, I mean you're just exactly my wife's size and can tell me what to ask for. You see, I came here to buy her a shirtwaist that she's been dropping little hints about, and now that I'm here it's just struck me that I haven't the remotest idea about her size. I'm the densest person you ever saw about such things—don't even know my own

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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

All Happiness be yours to-day.

May Yuletide peace attend you:

May friendly Fortune on you smile,

And many blessings send you.

PREDICTS NATION WILL GO  
DRY BEFORE MARCH 4Chairman Fitzgerald Sees Need of  
Consideration of Replacing  
Liquor Taxes.

By United Press.

Washington, December 19.—That

the entire nation will go dry this congress and that the government must immediately begin consideration of the work of replacing the liquor tax was declared in the house today by Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, chairman of the house appropriation committee.

City Organization Call.

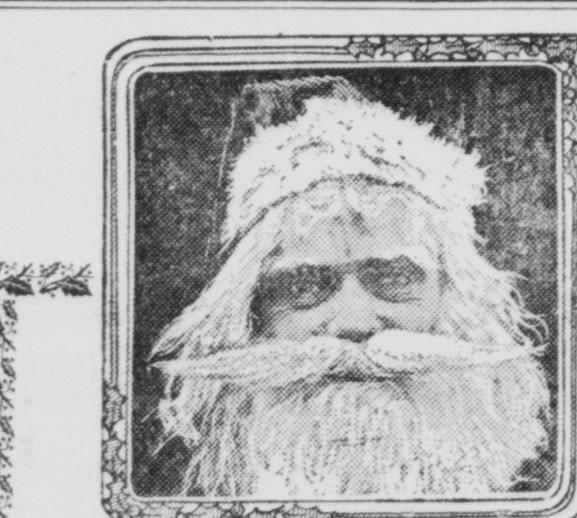
In pursuance of the call issued by the Republican state chairman and in the absence of a city chairman, the undersigned, chairman of the Republican county central committee, hereby issues a call to the precinct committeemen of Jackson township, who represent precincts wholly or in part in the city of Seymour, to meet at 1 o'clock p.m. at the city building on Tuesday, January 2, 1917, for the purpose of electing a city chairman, secretary and treasurer and for the transaction of such other business as may come before them at that time.

George Peter, County Chairman.

A Seneca Camera will be a treat  
for the whole family. Maxon Phar-

macy.

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The One Best Gift for Everybody

Is a Membership Book in Our

## Christmas Banking Club

By making weekly payments from 1 cent to \$10, you can accumulate a sum of from \$12.75 to \$500.

You may open as many accounts as you desire in the names of those whom you want to have a real gift next Christmas. Three weeks before Christmas next year we will mail our checks to each member.

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DECIDE NOW---JOIN TOMORROW

THE SEYMORE NATIONAL BANK

Santa Claus'  
Headquarters  
—AT THE—  
GOLD MINE

At TOYLAND on the second floor you will find all the newest toys on the market, together with scores of pretty dolls of all kinds.

Every department has its suggestions of useful gifts—Silks, Dress Goods, Linens, Quilts, Comforts, Blankets, Novelties in the art department.

Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Bags, Ribbons, Underwear, Hosiery, Men's Shirts, Suits, Coats, Furs, Rugs and Carpet Sweepers.

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY CHRISTMAS

MRS. MELISSA OVERSHINER  
SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA

Passes Away at Home in Driftwood Township After a Long Illness.

Mrs. Melissa Overshiner died Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her home north of Vallonia, aged seventy-eight years, after being ill for some time with pneumonia. Mrs. Overshiner, who was born in Washington county, had lived most of her life in Driftwood township and was very well known throughout the county.

She leaves five children, three sons and two daughters, all of whom live in the vicinity of Vallonia. They are Mrs. Daisy Pollert, Mrs. Susanna Crockett, Edward, David and Lafe Overshiner. Her husband, Isaac Overshiner, died several years ago.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from White church in Driftwood township, and burial will be at the church.

Fountain Pens, three years guarantee, \$1.00. Maxon Pharmacy.

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Cameras for the children at Platter's.

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Ivory Toilet Articles at T. R. Carter's.

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M. E. Church.

The Christmas treat for the members of the First M. E. Sunday School will be distributed next Sunday morning.

The members of Mrs. O. S. Guernsey's and Mrs. Aaron Cross' classes of the First M. E. Sunday School will meet at the church at 2 p.m. Thursday to arrange the Christmas treat.

U. S. NAVY SORELTY IN NEED  
OF MORE BATTLE CRUISERSThis Country Could Not Protect Her  
Commerce in Time of War,  
Capt. Simms Says.

By United Press.

Washington, December 19.—If the U. S. Navy, at present, without battle cruises should be drawn into war and still be without them American commerce would be swept from the seas and American commerce would

be destroyed Capt. Simms today told the house naval committee.

Great Britain now commands the seas, Simms declares, because her battle cruisers are more numerous and superior to Germany's.

Notice.

Edison Diamond Disc Phonographs are the best. Packard Piano Store, opposite Interurban Station. d24d

Books and Bibles at T. R. Carter's. d23d

GIFT  
CERTIFICATE

Fettig's Cash Grocery

Corner Sixth and Pine Sts. Phone 471.

This certificate entitles the holder to merchandise to the value of.....

Goods Delivered Free

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## A Substantial Gift

Suitable for every member of the family, your friends, or the poor, in fact everyone would be pleased to receive one.

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Butterflies, Birds and Ravenware Bowls at T. R. Carter's. d23d

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# XMAS at the People's Grocery —Some Suggestions—

The ever vexing problem of preparing the menu for the Christmas dinner easily solved by ordering your table supplies from us.

If it's on the market we will have it.

Heinz plum pudding.  
Heinz fig pudding.  
Heinz mince meat.

## CONDIMENTS

Oyster cocktail.  
Chili Sauce.  
Tobasco Sauce.  
Mustard dressing.  
Salad dressing.  
Zions hygienic apple vinegar  
Olive oils.

## OLIVES

Stuffed and plain in bottles and mason jars.

## CANDIED FRUIT

Pineapple, orange figs and ginger.

## MARACHINO CHERRIES

Red, green and white.

## CANNED FRUITS

California peaches.  
California apricots.  
California pears.  
Royal Anne Cherries.

## CANDIES

Fancy chocolates, and full line Christmas candies.

## SANITARY CAKES

Angel food, fruit cake, snowcake, silver cake, etc.

**Deep Sea Oyster Crackers.** Oysters in sanitary cans and bulk.

## OLD MASTER COFFEE

The delightful and satisfying drink.

Remember—"We are prepared" to serve you. Place your orders early, make it easy for us, pleasant for you, and A Merry XMAS for all.

# People's Grocery

Two Phones 170.

Ample Delivery Service

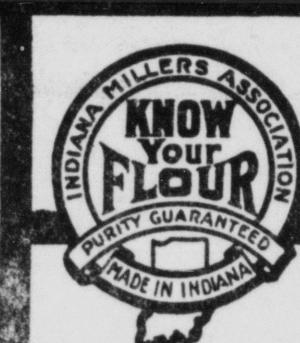
# BLISH'S Colonial

## The World's Best Flour

Your money back  
if you are not  
satisfied.

Guarantee on every sack.

AN INDIANA PRODUCT



Demand this  
Label  
on your  
Flour

This Indiana Guarantee Label is carried by most of Indiana's finest flours. In using a flour so marked, you are helping the Indiana Farmer as well as Indiana's milling business, and you are also getting the finest flour money can buy.

# The Farmers' Home Store

Here We Go for All This Week

Christmas Trees.  
Oranges, 15, 20, 25 and 30c.  
Cranberries 10 cents a qt.  
Celery 5 and 10c per bunch.  
Cocoanuts 10 cents each.  
Mixed Nuts 18c per lb.  
English Walnuts 20c per lb.  
Black Walnuts 3c per lb.  
Big assortment of Candies 10c and up.  
No. 1, Grimes Golden Apples 40c per pk.  
Don't forget our fresh pork department.  
Also spare ribs and butter.

Wishing You a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
**S. A. SHUTTERS & CO.**

114 E. Second St.

Phone Main 354

## SPECIAL XMAS NOTICE

We are changing the last day for paying telephone bills from the 25th to the 20th, and will ask that all accounts be paid by that date.

**Remember—On or Before  
the 20th.**

SEYMOUR MUTUAL TELEPHONE CO.

## PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Peck of Medora, were in the city today.

Mrs. Howard Smith of Medora, was in the city today.

C. S. Mercer made a business trip to Columbus this morning.

N. R. Martin has returned from a business trip to Pittsburg.

Henry Price went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Miss Mabel Gray spent the day with friends in Brownstown.

C. W. Rockstroh made a business trip to Louisville this morning.

Valford Weithoff, of Columbus, visited friends in this city today.

S. H. Amick made a business trip to North Vernon this morning.

A. C. Branaman went to Brownsburg this morning on business.

Bernice Lyons, of Clearsprings, visited friends in this city today.

Talton Wieneger of Kurtz, transacted business in this city today.

J. M. Payne, of Vallonia, transacted business in this city today.

Samuel Carr, of Medora, transacted business in this city today.

John M. Lewis made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

Matt Fleetwood, of Cornett Grove, was a business visitor in this city today.

Miss Alice Massman went to Brownstown this morning to spend the day with friends.

Herman Stratton went to Louisville this morning where he will spend the day on business.

Albert Doane went to North Vernon this morning where he will spend the day on business.

Mrs. Ray Jackson, and daughter, of Freetown, spent the day in this city the guests of friends.

H. B. Aufderheide is in this city and will spend the Christmas holidays with his daughters.

W. C. Bevins, of the Bevins Everbaek Co., made a business trip to Toledo, Ohio, this morning.

F. W. Wesner went to Brownsville this morning where he will attend the December session of court.

Misses Imogene Glasson and Maude McClintock, of Reddington, spent the day with friends in this city.

A. B. Vermillion, traveling time keeper of the B. & O. S.W., spent Monday in this city at the local offices.

Miss Minnie Monroe went to Brownstown this morning where she will spend the day with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Orville Carter of Bedford, arrived in this city this afternoon and will spend several weeks the guest of Miss Lovell Bottorff.

Mrs. P. T. Horan, who has been spending a few weeks in Cincinnati with relatives, returned to her home in this city this afternoon.

J. B. Freeman, of Greenwood, arrived in this city this morning where he will spend several days with his daughter, Mrs. R. G. Haas.

Mrs. C. J. Willey, who has been spending several days in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willey, returned to her home in Indianapolis this morning.

Alfred Koester and George Beckman, students at Concordia Teachers' College in Chicago, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents in Dudleyton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheeks, of Logansport, who have been spending a few days in this city with friends, went to Mitchell this afternoon where they will make their future home.

NINETEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY SENT TO DEATH IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Lad and a Man Sentenced to Death  
Asked That Executions be Made  
Before Christmas.

By United Press

Ossining, N. Y., December 19.—Stanley Millstein, nineteen, and Charles Kumrow, thirty, gave up three days of their life in which something might have intervened to save them that they might spare their families the sorrow of Christmas funerals, and went to the electric chair today. Their executions were set for Friday but they requested that they die today.

Millstein is the youngest prisoner ever sent to death in New York. Kumrow's father sat in the prison office from 3 o'clock this morning until the execution for a chance to see his son before he died. The father had traveled all day and night from Buffalo in hope of seeing his son but the privilege was refused him by prison officials.

"So I decided on a haircut for my Christmas gift to myself."

have to cost very much to make it with me if I give it to myself with the proper spirit.

"It's the giving, rather than the receiving, of this gift that brings me the more pleasure, anyway."

"Well, gasoline has been going up pretty steadily lately—you notice I do not talk in dialect in spite of my rural name and predilections; if I talked in dialect I would say gas was goin' up purty stiddy—and, due to the increased cost of living expenses, I decided that it behooved me to economize.

"The rest of the story is soon told. I got it cut again last night, and I had to wait for six customers ahead of me who were telling the barbers to shave 'em extra close so it would last over to Monday."

"That much for early Christmas shopping. I bought the junk for the folks after they'd locked the street doors last night and have just been making the rounds of the drug stores to pick up the odds and ends I've forgotten. No more Christmas shopping in mine. Giddap, Dobbins."

And with a peremptory cluck to his steed, Timothy Hay motored away in high dudgeon.—Denver Times.

# The COUNTRY STORE

Specials are always right  
—Save the Difference.

Double Dip 5c Matches, Steamboat or Saginaw brand.....

.....3 for 10c

Cyclone Mouse Traps, 3 for 5c

Wire Nails No. 6 to 40, per keg.....\$3.75

Tuttle Tooth Buck Saws...75c

Axe Handles.....15c to 25c

Handled Axes, warranted, each.....\$1.15

Country Store Coffee, this week only, per lb.....22c

100 Pauls New Style Lanterns, each.....79c

Fancy Cranberries, per qt.!! 10c

Sweater Coats, Underwear, Work Clothes and Shoes.

**RAY R. KEACH** Seymour, Ind.



It's Too Big For The  
Christmas Stocking

But—a ton of our coal is a gift  
that will receive a hearty welcome.

**Raymond City  
Coal**

is our "stockin" trade.

Good old Santa Recommends  
our coal to those who insist on  
real quality.

**EBNER ICE AND COLD  
STORAGE CO.**  
Phone 4



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for your new home or repairing, you will find at our yard at prices that make it almost a gift when you consider the high quality and well seasoned supply that you will get at The Seymour Planing Co. If you need inside trimmings, balustrades, newel posts, etc., you will find the best machine work that is turned out at

**SEYMORE PLANING MILL CO.**

419 S. Chestnut St.



## GREETINGS OF YULETIDE

We are winding up a successful year. Accept our thanks for your appreciation of our efforts in your behalf; we think that we deserve the prosperity that is ours. We wish you an even greater measure. One way to contribute to your own prosperity is to enlist yourself with us.

**THE TRAVIS CARTER CO.**

**CHAS. E. GILLESPIE, M. D.**  
Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and Fitting Glasses  
Hours: 9 to 12 a.m., 1 to 5 p.m.  
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Postal Building **SEYMORE, INDIANA.** Phone 245

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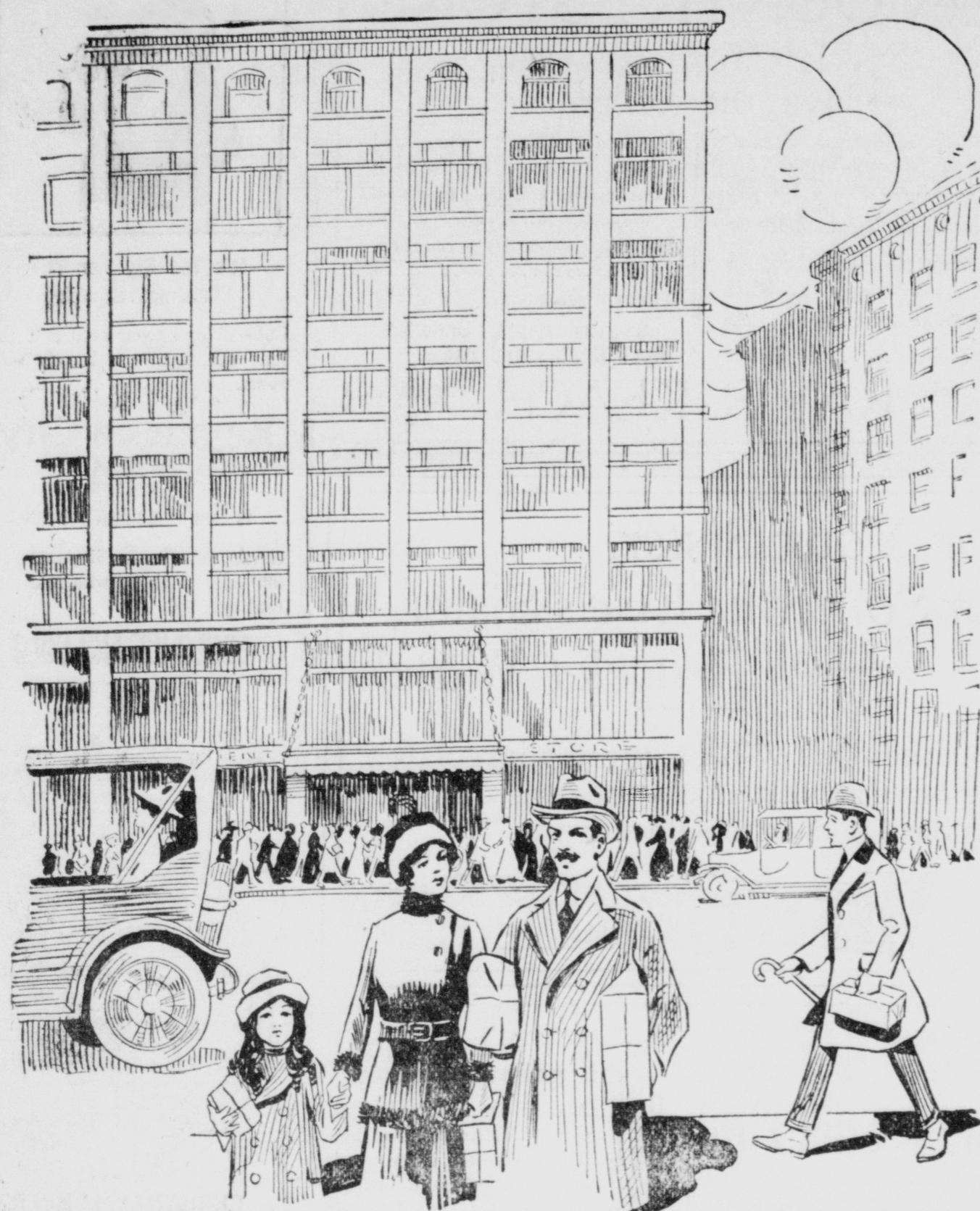
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## "TRADE-AT-HOME" DAY

**T**O make Every Day a Trade-at-Home Day. To make SEYMORE the-BEST trading town in this locality.

Not only once or twice a year, or once a month, or once a week. But EVERY day. THAT is the only goal worth striving for. We can do it. Other towns have done it. And we have the same means than they had. All we need to do is GET TOGETHER. We can fight off OUTSIDE competition by displaying EACH day the trade-at-home banner. Each day we can DEMONSTRATE the value of Home Buying.

## Are You Doing Your Share?

SEYMORE DAILY REPUBLICAN

### "SOUTHEASTERN LINE"

Chicago, Terre Haute and Southeastern Railroad Company

#### NORTHBOUND

	No. 2	No. 4	No. 6
Leave Seymour	6:40 am	2:45 pm	
Bedford	6:46 am	4:25 pm	
Odon	7:00 am	9:45 am	5:45 pm
Elnora	7:12 am	9:52 am	6:45 pm
Beechunter	7:30 am	10:06 am	6:10 pm
Linton	7:46 am	10:18 am	6:22 pm
Jasonville	8:15 am	10:47 am	6:54 pm
Ar. Terre Haute	9:10 am	11:45 am	7:50 pm

#### SOUTHBOUND

	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5
Leave Terre Haute	6:50 am	12:30 pm	5:50 pm
Jasonville	6:46 am	1:28 pm	6:47 pm
Linton	7:14 am	1:54 pm	7:16 pm
Beechunter	7:30 am	2:09 pm	7:28 pm
Elnora	7:44 am	2:24 pm	7:46 pm
Odon	7:56 am	2:36 pm	8:00 pm
Bedford	8:15 am	2:53 pm	
Ar. Seymour	10:50 am	5:30 pm	

No. 28 mixed train Northbound, leaves Westport 8:30 a.m. arrives at Seymour 10:40 a.m. daily, except Sunday.  
No. 27 mixed train Southbound, leaves Seymour 3:20 p.m., arrives Westport 6:04 p.m., daily except Sunday.

For further information or time tables call on or write,

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### CITY WOODPILE ABOLISHED

Denver Officials Say Prohibition is the Cause.

By United Press.

Denver, December 19—Denver's municipal woodpile today is a thing of the past. Time was when men who could not secure work were given a dollar a day or a dollar and a half in groceries to work on the city's woodpile. There has not been an applicant for such work this year. Officials declare that prohibition is

the cause. Incidentally, there are several fine vacant wings in the city jail and a vacant wing in the penitentiary since the state went dry.

#### I. P. S. Notice.

Effective Monday, December 18, and until further notice, mail train due to leave Seymour for Indianapolis at 5:03 a.m. will be discontinued.

C. D. Hardin, Agt.

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Mrs. Dorothy Dell spent Monday

in Edinburg.

**YEAH, THE LAST JOB I HAD SPOILT ME FOR ANY FUTURE HARD WORK—they PAID ME A SALARY AND ALL I REALLY DID WAS PLAY!**



### HOOSIER BRIEFS.

Warsaw—When Warsaw members of the Third Regiment I. N. G., now at Ft. Harrison, return to Warsaw, a reception will be given in their honor. The Third Indiana recently returned from duty on the border.

Wabash—Dummy policemen, guaranteed to wreck any auto that strikes them, have been placed in the center of street intersections here. The dummies are built of concrete.

Rushville—Seven year old Pleasant A. Miller, Jr., came to this city from Los Angeles, making the trip about 3,000 miles alone. He came here to spend the remainder of the winter.

Muncie—Preparedness cost George Williams, colored \$11 in police court here. Besides the loss of a new revolver, Williams told the judge that he had bought the revolver for fear his sweetheart might shoot him, and he merely wanted to be prepared to meet her attack.

Vincennes—Twenty-one men were arrested in a raid on a pool room. They were charged with frequenting a gambling house.

### ANNUAL REPORT FILED BY COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

23,500,000 Persons in United States Attended Schools in 1916, Statement Shows.

There were 23,500,000 persons attending schools of some kind in the United States in 1916, according to estimates of the United States Bureau of Education. "This means," declares the Annual Report of the Commissioner of Education, "that approximately 24 per cent of the inhabitants of the United States are attending school, as compared with 19 per cent in Great Britain, 17 per cent in France, 20 per cent in Germany, and a little over 4 per cent in Russia." The Bureau points out, however, that the result is much less favorable to the United States if daily attendance, rather than enrollment, is taken as the basis for comparison, since some of the other nations have better attendance and a longer school term than the United States.

The report analyzes the number of teachers in the United States, showing that, of the 706,000 teachers 169,000 were men and 537,000 women. The number of men teachers has increased very slightly since 1900; the number of women teachers has almost doubled. In public elementary schools the number of men teachers has decreased 20 per cent, since 1900, while the number of women teachers has increased 8 per cent. In 1900 teaching positions in public high schools were evenly divided between men and women. At the present time women outnumber the men by 8,000. The average annual salary of all teachers is \$525. The figure is highest in the East and North Atlantic States, with \$699 and \$696, respectively, and lowest in the South Atlantic States (\$329). It varies from \$234 in Mississippi to \$871 in California, and \$941 in New York.

In discussing educational movements the report points out that most of the recent contributions are in the domain of practice rather than in theory, and mentions the progress in educational measurements, attention to health, solution of rural school problems, and vocational education.

Because of the increase in cost of paper a much smaller edition of the Annual Report of the Commissioner has been printed and many school officers and librarians who have received the volumes in past years will be obliged to purchase them at cost from the Superintendent of Documents at Washington. Reprints of the various chapters will be available for free distribution in the limited amounts allowed by law.

### WHITE HOUSE RECEPTION FOR SUPREME JUSTICES

President and Mrs. Wilson Hold First Reception of the Winter Season.

By United Press.

Washington, December 19—At the White House tonight President and Mrs. Wilson are holding their first reception of the winter season. Chief Justice White and his associates on the Supreme Court bench are to be the guests of honor.

An enormous crowd will be on hand for the event. The number invited is exceeded only by those who sought to get invitations and were disappointed—an annual tragedy.

Two new faces will be seen in the reception line of jurists. Associate Justice Brandeis will take the place of Associate Justice Lamar who died last spring and Associate Justice Clarke has the position in line which Charles E. Hughes held before he resigned from the bench to lead the

Republican Party through the last Presidential campaign.

The White House culinary artists today are working the executive ovens overtime, preparing choice dainties for the evening's refreshments. The Marine Band will contribute the latest musical offerings.

After tonight the President and Mrs. Wilson get a three weeks' rest from their social duties, resuming their entertainment Tuesday evening, January 9, with the first of the two Diplomatic dinners.

G. H. Anderson went to Louisville this morning where he will spend the day on business.

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One for which the family would willingly forego the sort usually received.

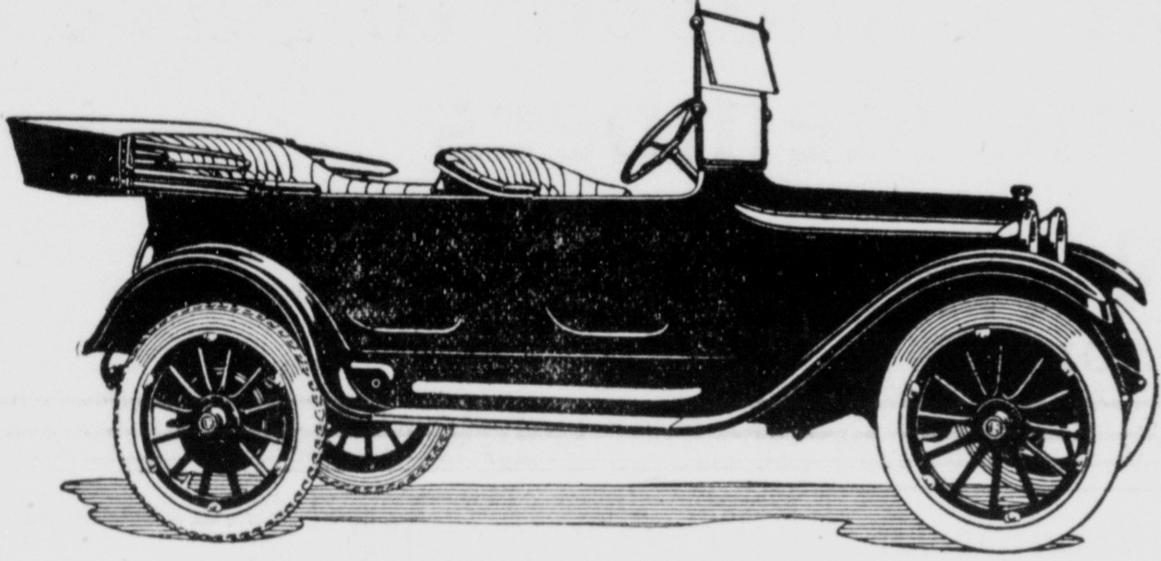
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### BAKER WILL NOT TAKE UP ROUND ROBIN PROTEST

War Department will Take Action, However, is General Bell Files a Report.

By United Press.

Washington, December 19.—Secretary of War Baker today said he did not intend to ask General Bell for any official report on the round robin protest of the Eighth Ohio Infantry Ohio national guard. If Bell reports to him and it requires departmental action the secretary will take it, but thus far no official information has come to the war department.

### Nazarene Church.

Bible study tonight at Nazarene Church at 7:30. Everybody invited to come and take part.

C. P. Roberts, Pastor.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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### Varied Activities of Boy Scouts

A troop on the Pacific Coast reports that, during the year the scouts served as a reception committee for the State Sunday School Convention, looking after all baggage from the depot and acting as guides; fed several poor families on Thanksgiving and Christmas; fed birds during the snow season.

In the Middle West another troop reports that one scout rescued a boy from drowning, and that scouts took an active part in "swat-the-fly," "clean-up," and "safety first" campaigns. The scoutmaster well reports that he is proud of every member of the troop.

A scoutmaster in Michigan reports that a portion of his scouts acted as an information bureau at the American Medical Association Convention. At the annual Grammer School excursion the scouts acted as guards at the waterfront and did "first aid" work. They helped the police to handle traffic during the Christmas rush, took part in the Memorial Day parade, and rendered first aid at the State Fair held in Detroit.

A troop in Pittsburg reports supporting a boy in an industrial school, serving as helpers in civic and philanthropic movements, and selling Red Cross seals in post-offices at Christmas-time.

A New York troop reports taking part in conservation work and cooperating in the "preparedness" parade, at the convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs and the National Education Association, and at the civic celebration on July Fourth.

A colored troop in East Orange reports that at the request of the chief public health officer the boys of their troop cleaned up the rubbish and refuse from four large lots and piled it in places convenient for garbage carts. In addition to this they collected the tin cans, rags and rubbish, and bottles of every description along the Lackawanna Railroad embankment for five blocks.

Mention should be made of the services of the scouts incident to the Ohio floods in 1913, the inaugural and Woman Suffrage parades at Washington in the same year, and the disastrous fire in Salem, Mass., in 1914; the services of the scouts at Gettysburg, where eleven thousand instances of first-aid work were reported; and in connection with the centennial celebration of the birth of the "Star Spangled Banner" at Baltimore in 1914.

A total of all of these reports of various kinds from different troops during the past twelve months aggregates 10,092. For convenience these may be classified as follows:

Acts of courtesy.....1514  
Acts of practical aid.....2558  
Distinctive services to the community.....6020

—From "Trained for Citizenship: The Boy Scout," by James E. West, in the American Review of Reviews for December, 1916.

### SMALL FIRE LOSS

Slight Damage at First Baptist Church from Overheated Stove

An overheated stove in the primary room of the First Baptist church resulted in a small fire loss late Monday afternoon. The primary department intended to rehearse for the Christmas exercises next Sunday night and a fire was built in the stove by John Fayhay, the janitor. After building the fire he left the church to go on an errand up town. He was not away from the church long, but when he returned he found the woodwork back of the stove in flames. He extinguished the fire without assistance. His timely return to the building doubtless prevented a serious fire.

His return to the building doubtless prevented a serious fire. It is thought the fire caught either just above or back of the sheet of zinc around the wall. The loss is placed at about \$50, and is fully insured.

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### WILL REPORT ON SURVEY FOR FRANKLIN COLLEGE

Special Committee of Northern Indiana Baptist Convention Files Statement.

Jay C. Smith went to Indianapolis today to attend a special meeting of the board of trustees of Franklin College of which he is a member. The trustees will hear the report of a special committee of the Northern Indiana Baptist Convention which was appointed to make a survey for Franklin. The purpose of the survey is to ascertain the field of the college in Indiana relative to Baptist work. It is expected that the report will be a factor in outlining the future work of the college and considerable importance is attached to the report. The committee has been engaged in the survey for some time and has made an exhaustive investigation in all parts of the state.

Charles Grimes, who lives west of the city, was here Monday on business. He is recovering from a long illness.

Grover Marquett has accepted a position with the Geo. A. Clark Wholesale grocery.

### AN EXPERT ON COLDS

Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness.

To treat a cold with weakening physics, alcoholic syrups or drugged pills, may smother the cold but they also reduce the body powers still further and invite more serious sickness.

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Automobile Supplies.  
Auto Robes, \$3.40 up.  
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Bill Folds, 25c to \$2.50.  
Batteries, \$2.50 and \$3.50.  
Brief Cases, \$4 and \$5.  
Baby's Sayings and Doings, 75c.  
Bottle Cases, 50c to \$3.50.  
Candelabras, \$1.75.  
Clocks, \$1.25.  
Clear-O-Scope, \$1.00.  
Card Sets, 50c.  
Cigar Cases, \$25c to \$1.  
Coat Hangers Sets, 25c to \$1.25.  
Collar Bags, 50c and \$1.  
Cooking Recipe Books, \$1.00.  
Carriage Heaters, \$1.75.  
Drinking Cups, 25c to \$1.  
Dressing Cases, \$1.50 to \$10.00.  
Face Powder Books, 50c.  
Flash Lights, 75c up.  
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### Seymour Temperatures.

Reported by J. Thos. Hays, Seymour weather observer.

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December 19, 1916. 33 7

### Barometer Reading.

The barometer at the Cox Pharmacy registered 29.58 falling this afternoon.

### Red Cross Seals.

Mrs. M. F. Gerrish has received a supply of Red Cross Seals which have been distributed among the drug stores for sale.

Don't fail to hear the Autophone at Maxon's. d16d&19d

We have a complete line of Lowney's, Darmody's and INDIANAPOLIS CANDY CO.'S BOX CHOCOLATES, in half pounds, pounds and larger packages for 25c up. Also the best line of bulk Candies in the city.

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### Additional Social

#### CALIFORNIA WEDDING.

The following account from a Los Angeles, Cal., paper, is of interest to local people as the groom, P. A. Sprigman, is a former resident of Seymour, and is a brother of Mrs. Ida Sandau and Mrs. Lynn Faulkner:

The attractive home of Mrs. C. Toledo Fleming on Worcester street was a scene yesterday of a pleasingly appointed wedding ceremony, when the sister of Mrs. Fleming, Miss Mary E. Landis, and P. A. Sprigman were married, with Dr. Daniel F. Fox, pastor of First Congregational church, officiating, and a number of guests present. For the occasion the home was artistically adorned with a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums and smilax, a canopy of the dainty vine and blossoms from the archway between living and dining rooms to the chandelier of the latter apartment, officiating, and a number of guests present. For the occasion the home was artistically adorned with a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums and smilax, a canopy of the dainty vine and blossoms from the archway between living and dining rooms to the chandelier of the latter apartment, officiating, and a number of guests present. For the occasion the home was artistically adorned with a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums and smilax, a canopy of the dainty vine and blossoms from the archway between living and dining rooms to the chandelier of the latter apartment, officiating, and a number of guests present.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of fine old Brussels lace over a taffeta in palest changeable color effect and both the lace and the taffeta have interesting family history. The silk was the bride's mother's wedding dress, a dainty gown now sixty-six years old. It was worn thirty years ago by Mrs. Fleming at her wedding, with the Brussels lace overdress, the two handsome gowns again combined with beautiful pearl passametrie for the wedding of yesterday. This heirloom is to be forwarded this week to Newark, N. J., and will be worn by a niece of Mrs. Fleming and Mrs. Sprigman, Miss Ora M. Landis, to be married December 5, and at this date announcements will be made of the engagement of two sisters of Miss Ora, the Misses Madalyn and Toledo Landis, who, each in her turn, will wear this lovely gown. The gown is in as perfect preservation as far as the beautiful lace is concerned as on the day this was purchased and the silk will still outlast many a costly silk in these days of much unreliable weaving.

The bride carried a bouquet of white roses and in her dark hair a coronet of orange blossoms and tulle was worn. The wedding music was played by Miss Gibbons, and several other friends assisted with the serving of the luncheon. Mr. and Mrs. Sprigman left for an automobile trip to San Diego and other points. The former has a home on Worcester avenue and is a retired business man. Both he and Mrs. Sprigman have numerous friends here, the latter being especially prominent in Eastern Star and Amaranth circles.

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